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In re Application of: T. F. Tedder

Examiner: Li, Q.

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For: ANTIBODY PRODUCTION METHODS RELATED TO DISRUPTION OF

PERIPHERAL TOLERANCE IN B LYMPHOCYTES

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is responsive to the Restriction/Election Requirement dated March 20, 2001, having a 1-month term for Response expired on April 20, 2001. A 2-Month Petition for Extension of Time is hereby made in order to extend the time for filing a Response up to and including June 20, 2001. A check in the amount of \$195.00 for the extension fee is attached. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Election and Remarks.

RESTRICTION PRESENTED

The claims have been restricted into the following groups of inventions:

Groups	<u>Claims</u>	Subject Matter
1	1-13	Method for production of monoclonal antibody using
	•	a CD19 transgenic mouse. Classified in class 800,
		subclass 6.
11	14-18	Method of making polyclonal antibody in an animal
		(wild-type or transgenic). Classified in class 800,
	·	subclass 4.